

Alpha & Omega

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Welcome to my first Alpha & Omega. I didn't expect to put out one so quickly, but I found two 7x7 tournaments that never were published. With luck I will be putting out another issue quickly. I hope to find more of these missing game starts and ends. With also running the NAVB, I will be reporting on adds and corrections to the bank each issue.

NAVB News

These were the final adds and corrections included in the 1992 catalog.

Adds:

cb59/07 Pourquoi Pas? (Why Not?), Charles Turquin, Rules=2, Maps=1
ea03/07 Eurasian Diplomacy, Author Unknown, Rules=3, Maps=1
em14/07 Middle Eastern Diplomacy, Phil Reynolds, Maps=2, Rules=1
ge09/21* SuperMegaEcoDip, Author Unknown
ge10/10* Nucleodip, Jean-Yves Cornu
gp36/12 Global Diplomacy III, John Armstrong, Rules=8, Maps=2
pg02/05 Blood & Iron, Tom Swider, Rules=1
rd26/07* Nuit et Brouillard (Night and Fog), Philippe Crepey
rx27/02 A 2-player variant for Diplomacy, David Segal, Rules=4

Corrections:

rd07/07 Kriegsplomacy. Rules=4.
rd16/07 Spy Diplomacy. Rules=3.
uu08/03-75 Amoeba, add *, copy is illegible.

The New 1992 catalog is out, and was mailed February 22, 1992. The cost remains \$5.00. It was sent surface to the overseas variant bank custodians.

Miller Numbers

Corrections

From issue 25: 88Gdp06 is really 88GLpi06. The more complete end game was reported in A&O #23 also under 88Gdp06. Ignore the 88Gdp06 reported in A&O #25.

From issue 24: The correction designator is 1991Xrb62, Get Them Dots Know variant. The starting players are: Austria: Michael Vaporis, England: Mark Sheron, France: Phil Reynolds, Germany: Jack Garrett, Italy: Dan Hodel, Russia: John Schultz, Turkey: Bob Aube

From issue 19: 1989Jrb32 - 1989Orb32. The GM for this 7x7 is Vince Lutterbie.

Multiple issues: The situation on 1988Crd16 is very confused. The proper status is:

In issue 22, the game reported as 1988C is really 1988GC.

In issue 23, the game reported as 1988C is correct.

In issue 24, ignore the 88C correction, as it implies the game in issue #23.

I realize that some of these corrections go back several issues. One of the advantages of creating a computer database of all numbers, is that I can't have the same number end twice or be used twice. I still have things to review going back further than this, including another game which ended twice. These will be reported in the next issue of Alpha and Omega.

Abandoned Games

1989IFcb16 hasn't been played since March, 1990.

If you know of any games not played for at least 1 1/2 years, please let me know.

The Designator Blocks:

A-AZ: North America

BA-FZ: Britain

GA-GZ: Germanic Europe

HA-HZ: North America

IA-IZ: Iberia (Spain and Portugal)

JA-KZ: North America

LA-LZ: Francophone Europe

MA-RZ: Unassigned

SA-SZ: Scandinavia

TA-WZ: Unassigned

XA-ZZ: Australia

If any new blocks need to be assigned, please let me know.

Game Starts

1989KHrb32, Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Metadiplomat, GM=Jeff McKee, Nickname=Atom Heart Mother
 1992Aem14, Middle Eastern Diplomacy, Zine=Dipadeedoodah!, GM=Phil Reynolds, Nickname=Living in the Past. Egypt: John Ried, Iran: Bob Robles, Iraq: Randy Estep, Israel: Randy Davis, Saudi Arabia: Larry Cronin, Syria: Tim Ayars, Turkey: Graham Wilson

1992Brb32, Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Canyon, GM=Sean Brown, Nickname=Flagstaff

1992Crb32, Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Canyon, GM=Sean Brown, Nickname=Winslow

1992Ddm04, African Diplomacy, Zine=Maniac's Paradise, GM=Douglas Kent, Nickname=Ragnar. Ethiopia: Randall Schultz, Ivory Coast: Roger Cox, Libya: Tony Strong, Saudi Arabia: Graham Wilson, South Africa: David Wang, Zaire: Jack Garrett

1992Erb32, Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Rambling Way, GM=W. Andrew York.

1992Frh32, Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Rebel, GM=Melinda Holley, Nickname=Lemuria.

1992Gtw01, Middle Earth II, Zine=War Fair, GM=Stephen Glasgow. Arnor: Roger Belfay, Rohan: Andy York, Gondor: Phil Reynolds, Mordor: Ed Hall, Rhovanion David Glasgow

End Games

1987AHrb32 (Galadriel), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Jim Diehl

England: Larry Botimer

France: Vincent Lutterbie (draw s06)

Germany: Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart

Italy: Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning

Russia: Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton

Turkey: John Schlosser (draw s06)

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1987AIrb32 (Circe), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley
 Austria: Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton (out f09)
 England: John Scholsser (res f06), Tom Hurst (out f07)
 France: Jim Diehl
 Germany: Larry Botimer (win f09)
 Italy: Vincent Lutterbie
 Russia: Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart (out f07)
 Turkey: Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning
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1987AJrb32 (Merlin), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley
 Austria: Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning
 England: Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton (out f05)
 France: John Scholsser (draw s06)
 Germany: Jim Diehl
 Italy: Larry Botimer
 Russia: Vincent Lutterbie (draw s06)
 Turkey: Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart
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1987AKrb32 (Morgan Le Fey), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley
 Austria: Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart (out f05)
 England: Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning (draw f14)
 France: Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton (out f13)
 Germany: John Scholsser (res f06), Tom Hurst (res f10), Jeff McKee (draw f14)
 Italy: Jim Diehl (out f10)
 Russia: Larry Botimer (out f05)
 Turkey: Vincent Lutterbie (draw f14)
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1987ALrb32	(Morguase), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley
Austria:	Larry Botimer
England:	Vincent Lutterbie (win f14)
France:	Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart (drop s08), Mark Sheron (out f13)
Germany:	Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning (out f09)
Italy:	Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton
Russia:	John Scholsser (res f06), Tom Hurst (res f10), Jeff McKee (out f14)
Turkey:	Jim Diehl
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1987AMrb32	(Melusine), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley
Austria:	Vincent Lutterbie (out f05)
England:	Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart (out f07)
France:	Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning
Germany:	Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton (out f09)
Italy:	John Scholsser (res f06), Tom Hurst (out f09)
Russia:	Jim Diehl
Turkey:	Larry Botimer (win f09)
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1987ANrb32	(Spectre), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley
Austria:	John Scholsser (res f06), Tom Hurst (res s10), Jeff McKee
England:	Jim Diehl
France:	Larry Botimer (win s13)
Germany:	Vincent Lutterbie (out f12)
Italy:	Walter Johnson (drop s05), Spike Van Robart (drop w07), Mark Sheron (out f12)
Russia:	Bob Addison (drop s03), Thomas Manning
Turkey:	Mark Gorski (res f04), Rick Kohman (res s05), Frank Easton
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1988Drb32 (Coliseum of Rome), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Tom Boyd (res f06), Mark Sheron

England: Jim Diehl

France: Doug Himmller (res f03), Fred Chang (out f07)

Germany: Rick Kohman (win f08)

Italy: Vincent Lutterbie

Russia: Thomas Manning (out f05)

Turkey: Rory Noble

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1988Erb32 (Catacombs of Alexandria), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Jim Diehl (out f09)

England: Doug Himmller (res f03), Fred Chang (out f07)

France: Rick Kohman (draw f11)

Germany: Vincent Lutterbie (draw f11)

Italy: Thomas Manning (out f10)

Russia: Rory Noble (out f10)

Turkey: Tom Boyd (res f05), Mark Sheron (draw f11)

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1988Frb32 (Great Wall of China), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Doug Himmller (res f03), Fred Chang (out f07)

England: Rick Kohman

France: Vincent Lutterbie

Germany: Thomas Manning

Italy: Rory Noble (out f07)

Russia: Tom Boyd (out f05)

Turkey: Jim Diehl (win f08)

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1988Grb32 (Stonehenge), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Rick Kohman (res s13), Frank Easton

England: Vincent Lutterbie (out f07)

France: Thomas Manning (win f13)

Germany: Rory Noble (drop w08), Tim Moore (out f13)

Italy: Tom Boyd (res f05), Mark Sheron (out f08)

Russia: Jim Diehl

Turkey: Doug Himmler (drop f03), Fred Chang (out f06)

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Turkey: 04 04 03 02 02 00

1988Hrb32 (Leaning Tower of Pisa), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Vincent Lutterbie (win f09)

England: Thomas Manning

France: Rory Noble

Germany: Tom Boyd (res f06), Mark Sheron

Italy: Jim Diehl

Russia: Doug Himmler (drop f03), Fred Chang

Turkey: Rick Kohman (out f09)

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1988Irb32 (Porcelain Tower of Nanking), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Thomas Manning

England: Rory Noble (draw w10)

France: Tom Boyd (res f06), Mark Sheron

Germany: Jim Diehl (out f10)

Italy: Doug Himmler (res f03), Fred Chang

Russia: Rick Kohman (out f09)

Turkey: Vincent Lutterbie (draw w10)

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1988Jrb32 (Mosque of St. Sophia), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Starwood, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Rory Noble (win w10)

England: Tom Boyd (res f05), Mark Sheron

France: Jim Diehl

Germany: Doug Himmler (res f03), Fred Chang (out f06)

Italy: Rick Kohman (out f09)

Russia: Vincent Lutterbie (out f10)

Turkey: Thomas Manning (out f08)

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1988AKrb32, Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Rebel, GM=Melinda Holley

Austria: Derek Levison (drop f03), Joe Clement (drop f07), David McCrumb (drop w08), Bob Brill

England: Mark Wofford (drop w07), Kirk Carroll

France: Vincent Lutterbie (draw s09)

Germany: James Nelson (out w06)

Italy: Earl Wiggers (res w02), James Woodson (drop w03), Bruce Reiff

Russia: Joe Clement (drop s01), Jacques Belanger (draw s09)

Turkey: Michael Havan (drop w03), Dwayne Shrieve (drop f05), Randy Davis (draw s09)

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1988GFr32 (GTDN #1), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Get Them Dots Now!, GM=Lee Kendter, Sr.

Austria: John Crosby (drop w04), CD (out f05)

England: Eric Schuetz (drop w01), Ken Gestiehr (drop w02), Vince Lutterbie (res w10), Mike Gonsalves
(draw w15)

France: Jeff Hoffman (res f04), Eric Brosius (draw w15)

Germany: Melinda Holley (out f09)

Italy: David Anderson (out f13)

Russia: Rory Noble (drop w02), Jimmy Williams (out f04)

Turkey: Fred Hyatt (draw w15)

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1990Zrb32 (WM203), Gunboat Diplomacy, Zine=Why Me?, GM=Lee Kendter, Sr.

Austria:	Jim Diehl
England:	Eric Brosuis
France:	Richard Weiss
Germany:	Melina Holley
Italy:	Fred Hyatt (draw f09)
Russia:	Jim Johnson (draw f09)
Turkey:	Steve Sulzby (drop w04), Mike Gonsalves
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Missing Miller Numbers

Most of the games listed below should have ended. I still have no reports for these games. If anyone can supply information about these games I would appreciate it.

1980 A, B, C, D, E, G, H, I, J, K, L, N, Q, R, S, T, U, Z

1981 B, C, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, O, P

1982 A, B, D, E, F, I, J, L, Q

1983 G, N, O, W, X

1984 B, C, E, J, N, O, P, Q, R, S, U, V, X

1985 I, J, K, M, O, S

1986 B, G, V, AB, AD, AE, AP, AQ, AR

1987 C, F, G, H, Q, R, S, V, W, X, Y, AB, AO, AQ, AR, AS, AT, AU, AV, AW, AX, AY